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In re Application of:)
Dennis J. Jones, Jr.) Art Unit: 1751
Application No.: 10/627,945) Examiner: Ogden Jr., N.
Filing Date: July 24, 2003) Confirmation: 3664
For: "METHODS OF TREATING AND)
CLEANING FIBERS, CARPET YARNS AND)
CARPETS")

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This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114. In response to the final Office Action dated June 13, 2006, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

The **Conclusion** begins on page 23 of this paper.

A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, with Form PTO-1449, is enclosed herewith.